

State of California
Department of Parks and Recreation
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Hual-Cu-Cuish Groundwater Testing (02/03-CD-32)

LOCATION: Cuyamaca Rancho SP

CITY: Descanso

COUNTY: San Diego

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT:

Project consists of a temporary installation of not more than 15 three-inch diameter piezometers to measure groundwater levels along the eastern edge of Camp Hual-Cu-Cuish (see attached map). Piezometers shall be removed within 30 days and holes backfilled and restored to original condition. Biological and archaeological monitors will be present during installation.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Park Stewardship: Angeles District, Malibu

EXEMPT STATUS:

- ☐ Ministerial (Section 15268)
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section:)
☒ Categorical Exemption

Class: 4(e), 4(f), 6 **Section:** 15304 15306

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated.
A resource ecologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to natural resources.
An archaeologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to cultural resources.
Temporary use of land having negligible or no permanent effects on the environment (class 4e)
Surface will be restored (class 4f)

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